An inspiring fusion of mobility, power and style.

CUTTING-EDGE PERFORMANCE

The sleekly designed, lightweight VAIO® SZ Notebook optimizes mobility while offering superior performance on every front, starting with its use of Intel® Centrino® Duo mobile technology for advanced multi-tasking potential. It also boasts hardware solutions that will power you through your most demanding tasks, including a super-fast 5400rpm Serial ATA hard drive and advanced DDR2 memory for ultra high-speed computing.

PREMIUM PORTABILITY

The VAIO® SZ Notebook delivers intelligent mobile design while placing a priority on usability and performance. This slim, lightweight PC with premium carbon fiber casing, measures a mere 1" thin[15], with a superb 13.3" widescreen display[11] with XBRITE™ LCD technology, long battery life[7] and a generous, comfortable keyboard.

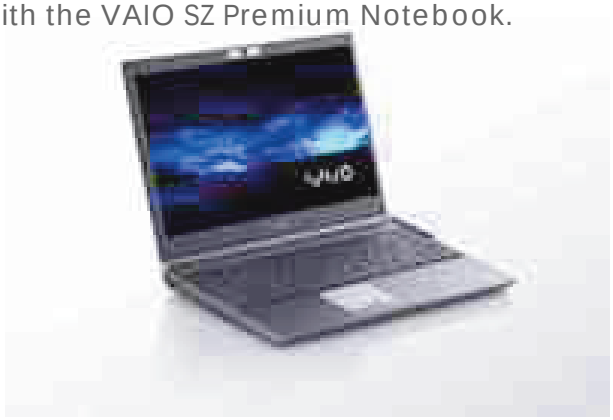
UNIQUE AND INNOVATIVE FEATURES

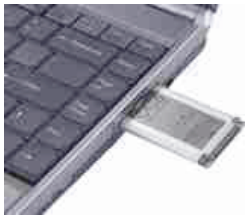
Exclusive to VAIO® PCs, the revolutionary Hybrid Graphics System lets you switch between an internal graphics chip for optimal power consumption and an external graphics chip for even more robust performance. In addition to PC card support, it supports ExpressCard™ , an emerging standard in smaller, faster PC card solutions, making it ideal for transfers of video and large files.

BEYOND HOTSPOTS

The VAIO® SZ Premium Notebook delivers premium portability, including integrated wireless Wide Area Network (WAN)[16] technology. With integrated WAN[16], you can access the Cingular Wireless national EDGE network to extend your wireless coverage beyond LAN access networks and wireless hotspots. Now you have the freedom to go farther, do more, and stay connected.

A premium mix of mobility, power and style, the ultra-sleek VAIO® SZ Premium Notebook features a razor-thin 13.3" widescreen display[11], long battery life[7], integrated WAN [16] technology, Intel® Core™ 2 Duo processor, revolutionary Hybrid Graphics System, and a cutting-edge carbon-fiber casing. Work faster, play longer and get more from every moment with the VAIO SZ Premium Notebook.





Intel Centrino Duo Core 2 Duo inside

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VAIO® SZ Series Notebook PC

Specifications

General

Computer Type: Notebook

Type of Use: Ultra Portable

Action Buttons: S1, S2 (programmable), Wireless LAN On/Off, Bluetooth® On/Off,

Pointing Device: Electro-Static touch pad

Security: Trusted Platform Module (TPM) and Biometric Fingerprint Sensor

Hardware

Keyboard: QWERTY (86 keys with 3mm stroke and 19.05mm pitch) Available in black or silver

Camera: Built-in Camera and microphone

Processor

Type: Intel® Core™ 2 Duo Processor T7600 (Configuration 1), Intel® Core™ 2 Duo Processor T7400 (Configuration 2), Intel® Core™ Duo 2 Processor T7200 (Configuration 3), Intel® Core™ 2 Duo Processor T5600 (Configuration 4) or Intel® Core™ 2 Duo Processor T5500 (Configuration 5)

Speed: 2.33GHz[1] (Configuration 1), 2.16GHz[1] (Configuration 2), 2GHz[1] (Configuration 3), 1.83GHz[1] (Configuration 4) or 1.66GHz[1] (Configuration 5)

Front Side Bus Speed: 667MHz

L2 Cache: 4MB Advanced Smart Cache (Configurations 1-3) or 2MB (Configurations 4-5)

Memory

Type: DDR2

Installed: 2GB PC2-4200 (1GB x 2), 1GB PC2-4200 (1GB x 1) or 1GB PC2-4200 (512MB x 2)

Maximum: 2GB

Speed: 533MHz

Hard Drive

Capacity: 200GB[2] (Configuration 1), 160GB[2] (Configuration 2), 120GB[2] (Configuration 3), 100GB[2] (Configuration 4) or 80GB[2] (Configuration 5)

Speed: 4200rpm (Configuration 1) or 5400rpm (Configuration 2-6)

Interface: Serial ATA

Impact Protection: G-Sensor™ Shock Protection - Hard Disk Drive Protection

Optical Drive #1

DVD+R DL Write: 4x max.

DVD+R Write: 8x max.

DVD+RW Write: 8x max.

DVD-R Write: 8x max.

DVD-RW Write: 6x max.

CD-R Write: 24x max.

CD-RW Write: 16x max.

DVD±RW: Yes[4] (DVD±R DL/DVD±RW/DVD-RAM)

CD Read: 24x max.

DVD Read: 8x max.

DVD-RAM Write: 5x max.

DVD-R DL Write: 4x max.

DVD-RAM Read: 5x max.

Expansion Slots

Multimedia Card Reader: Memory Stick DUO™ with MagicGate® functionality ExpressCard™ /34 Slot: 5-in-1 Memory Card Adaptor (VGP-MCA20) supporting Memory Stick®, Memory Stick PRO™ , Secure Digital, xD-Picture Card, and MultiMediaCard (MMC) PCMCIA (Type II/Type I card slot with CardBus support)

Audio

Sound System: Sony® Sound Reality™ - Audio Enhancer

Display

Screen or Display Technology: WXGA LCD

Screen Size: 13.3"[11]

Resolution: 1280x800

XBRITE™ LCD Technology: Yes

Graphics

Processor: NVIDIA® GeForce™ Go 7400 and Intel® Graphics Media Accelerator 950

Video RAM: 335MB Total Available Graphics Memory[13] (NVIDIA® GeForce® Go 7400 notebook graphics processing unit) and 224MB Total Available Graphics Memory[13] (Intel® Graphics Media Accelerator 950)

Technology: Hybrid Graphics System

Chipset: Intel® 945GM

Interface: VGA out w/ Smart Display Sensor

Inputs and Outputs

Headphone Jack: 1

i.LINK® Interface: 1 (4-pin[6] IEEE 1394)

Memory Stick® Media Slot: 1

Modem Jack: 1

Microphone Input: 1

Port Replicator Connector(s): 1 (Bottom)

USB Port(s): 2 (2.0 compliant)

VGA Output(s): 1

DC-In: 1

Express Card™ Slot: 1

Ethernet Connection (s): 1

Networking/Modem

Ethernet Protocol: Fast Ethernet (RJ-45)

Ethernet Speed: 10Base-T/100Base-TX

Modem Type: Integrated V.90/V.92 Modem (RJ-11)

Wireless LAN: Intel® PRO/Wireless 3945ABG Network Connection (802.11a/b/g)[3]

Wireless WAN: Integrated Wireless (WAN) Wide Area Network accessing Cingular Wireless National EDGE Network with SmartWi™ technology[16] (Wireless WAN and Wireless LAN radio do not transmit simultaneously)

Bluetooth® Technology: Integrated Bluetooth® Technology[5]

Power

Battery Type: Standard Capacity Lithium-ion Battery (VGP-BPS2C) or Large Capacity Lithium-ion Battery (VGP-BPL2C)

Estimated Battery Life: 2.0-4.5 hours[7] (Standard Battery)

Power Requirements: 105W+10%

Software

Operating System: Windows Vista™ Business

Internet Services: AOL® 90-Day Risk Free Trial - New Users Only

Supplied Software: Microsoft® Works 8.5 60-Day Trial Version of Microsoft® Office 2007[10]

Security and Anti-Virus Software: Norton® Internet Security™ 2007 60-Day trial with spyware protection

Sony® Software: Click to DVD® - DVD Creation *Please access VAIO® Help and Support from your PC for a complete list of software applications and trials.

Service and Warranty Information

Telephone Support: 1 year (toll-free technical telephone assistance, available 24/7)[9]

Online and Email Support: Support available from http://www.esupport.sony.com

Limited Warranty Term: 1 Year Limited Warranty[8]

Dimensions

Weight: 3.72 lbs with standard battery (weight is approximate and may vary)

Measurements: 12.5"(W) x 1.0"-1.5"(H) x 9.3"(D)

Supplied Accessories

AC adapter (VGP-AC19V10)

Power Cord

Standard Capacity Lithium-ion battery (VGP-BPS2C) or Large Capacity Lithium-ion battery (VGP-BPL2C)

Memory Card Adapter (VGP-MCA20)[14]

Optional Accessories

Port Replicator (VGP-PRSZ1)

Additional Standard Capacity Battery (VGP-BPS2C)

Large Capacity Battery (VGP-BPL2C)

AC Adapter (VGP-AC19V10)

Battery Charger (VGP-BC1)

Bluetooth® Laser Mouse (VGP-BMS33/B)

Neoprene Notebook & AC Adapter (VGP-AMC1)

Color: Black Carbon Fiber

1. GHz denotes microprocessor internal clock speed; other factors may affect application performance. CPU speed will be reduced under certain operating conditions.
2. GB means one billion bytes when referring to hard drive capacity. Accessible capacity may vary. A portion of hard disk space is reserved as a recovery partition.
3. Requires compatible wireless LAN access point, sold separately. Internet connection may require fees.
4. DVD Media/Formats are not universally compatible.
5. Interoperability among Bluetooth® devices varies.
6. i.LINK is a trademark of Sony used only to designate that a product contains an IEEE 1394 connector. All products with an i.LINK connector may not communicate with each other.
7. Actual battery life may vary based on product settings, usage patterns, battery and environmental conditions.
8. See actual limited warranty for details. For a copy of Sony's warranty, please visit www.sony.com/pcsupport, call toll-free 888-476-6972 (888-4SONYPC), or write to Sony Electronics, 12451 Gateway Boulevard, Fort Myers, FL 33913.
9. For certain third party software applications, Sony provides first level Phone Support. Additional telephone support may be available from the applicable 3rd party vendor. Availability and schedule for any such support is determined by the applicable software vendor.
10. The Microsoft Office 2007 60-Day Trial software is intended for evaluation purposes only. This trial software is installed on your system and you must activate the software before you can use it. Product activation procedures will be detailed during initial launch of the software; activation requires Internet access. This software has an expiration date of 60 days from date of first use, at which time the software will operate under reduced-functionality mode, limiting end-use options and operations.
11. Viewable area measured diagonally.
12. Broadband Internet service required along with third-party services which may require a subscription fee or other service fee.
13. Total Available Graphics Memory refers to the new WIndows Vista classification of graphics memory, witch is the Dedicated Video Memory, System Video Memory and Shared System Memory. Shared System Memory veries depending on the oerating condition and system memory size.
14. Does not support Memory Stick media and Memory Stick PRO™ media using the MagicGate™ function or high-speed data transfer. Supports memory cards with capacitities up to 1GB. Does not support 5.0V SmartMedia media or the ID function of SmartMedia media with IDs. Does not support the SD Memory Card media copyright protection function. This adapter has been tested with only Sony® branded Memory Stick PRO™ media. Sony® branded Memory Stick PRO™ media is recommended for use with this adapter.
15. Measured at its narrowest point.
16. Subscription with Cingular Wireless required. See www.sonystyle.com/cingular for complete offer details, price plans, service terms and conditions and coverage map. Call 1-888-739-VAIO (8246) for service activation.

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